

LOCAL MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Paragraphs Which Tell of the Happenings of Local Moment in Greater St. Joseph

Anything Which Has Occurred Deserving of Local Notice Can be Found in These Columns

The home of John I. McDonald at 2810 Lovers Lane was badly damaged by fire which started in the roof, on Sunday afternoon. The damage amounted to several thousand dollars.

Judge Allen took up the South Park projects on Monday. The property there found is held higher than a cat's back—which is no discovery at all.

The dead body of Milton J. Johnson, a retired stock dealer, was found in bed at his home, 617 Hamburg Avenue, Monday morning. Heart failure was the cause. He was formerly of Burlington Junction.

Jamieson Machine Co., engineers and machinists' supplies. Shafting, hangers, pulleys. 215 No. 2nd.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Julia Montgomery on Monday filed suit against the St. Joseph Pressed Brick Co. for \$10,000 for the death of her husband, William Montgomery, accidentally killed in the plant May 13.

A large number of former Missourians attended the Missouri picnic held at Long Beach, near Los Angeles, last week.

The Burlington will install motor service on the Atchison-Rule branch in the next thirty days.

It cost Mrs. L. Shaw, 517 1/2 South Sixth \$1 in police court Monday for not having a license to conduct a rooming house.

Four watches were stolen from the G. S. Perchen home on Sparta road, Sunday.

Everything you need for any kind of painting, wall paper, Chardie's Paint & Glass Co., 417 Edmond street.—Advertisement.

A Ford Silver stolen from R. A. Lahr, 209 South 9th street, Saturday, was found on the Amazonia road Monday, stripped of about all that was valuable.

Frank D. Thompson of Lincoln, Neb., was the speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday.

Eighty-five chickens and seventy-five chicks were stolen from John Roach's henery on the Sparta road Sunday.

The home of William Shepard, 916 Corby, was burglarized Sunday and considerable goods stolen.

Memorial services for the Confederate dead were held in the organization's plot in Mount Mora Sunday afternoon, and were largely attended. W. J. Edelman conducted the services and J. R. Clay delivered the oration.

On August 1, 1922, Democratic primary, please vote for me for the nomination of prosecuting attorney, DuVal Smith.—(Advertisement.)

Rock Undertaking Co., Lady attendant. 916 Frederick avenue.—Advertisement.

Some thief stole a revolver from the Ellinger Arms Co., Monday.

Gov. Arthur M. Hyde was in St. Joseph Wednesday on his return from Maryville where he delivered an address.

Go to
Lake Contrary Park
—this Evening
Dancing

At the Venetian Dance Pavilion
FREE MOTION PICTURES
RIDES CONCESSIONS
CABARET AT VILLAGE INN
Admission to Park FREE
L. F. INGERSOLL, Manager

dress at the commencement. He was entertained while here by police commissioners Fulkerson, Morgan and Wyatt.

N. R. Sack of Kansas City will succeed A. C. Lingley as division state highway engineer here, today.

Mulle Roach of Agency was arrested Monday, charged with wife abandonment.

Arville Clayton, 12 years old, was severely bruised when his bicycle collided with R. L. Alter's car at Tenth and Hickory Sunday.

Mrs. Bettie E. Murphy, 75, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Hilden, Maxwell Hughes, Sunday night.

Hezekiah Swagart, a farmer of Westboro, Mo., died at a local hospital Sunday.

Don Riley's Motor Inn. Storage and best repair department in city. Ladies' rest room and free check room in connection. Seventh and Jule.—Advertisement.

Ex-Mayor Charles J. Borden had a bad fall from the top of a 12-foot cherry tree which broke while he was picking the fruit Wednesday and precipitated him to the hard ground. He suffered no broken bones.

On Wednesday Judge R. E. Culver offered a proposal to the constitutional convention for home rule for cities. It has been discussed.

Mrs. B. Staley, 47, of 1401 South Fourth street was handed over to the state authorities Wednesday, charged with stealing \$50 from Truman Vance, an aged Iowa soldier.

Ann Verlander, maid at the Forrest Campbell home, 203 North 20th, was severely burned by an explosion Wednesday.

Dr. Charles Greenburg is in Pennsylvania, taking advanced courses in medicine.

Melcherhoff Undertaking Co. presents character, service and consideration. Ninth and Felix. Phone M. 865.—(Advertisement.)

H. H. Edgerton of the chief engineer's office of the Maple Leaf, was with Charles R. Berry, a visitor to the Dearborn oil field.

With 112 deaths in St. Joseph during the month of May, there was but one by violence, that being the fleeing negro who was shot by a police officer.

Claude Tebeau and Martin Henry were arrested Wednesday, charged with robbing the Krug Park confectionery May 31.

M. P. Lawler, president of the St. Joseph Automobile Club, will go to Chicago June 18, where he will attend the convention called to organize a new national automobile association.

106 plumbing permits were issued in May.

M. J. Downey for best Plumbing and Gas Fitting. 203 Mesquite. Phone 6-0116.—Advertisement.

Carl S. Ross, 2415 Mesquite, was fined \$100 in police court Wednesday for driving his car while drunk.

John Moran, 13-year-old son of Edward Moran, 1517 Patee, was run over by a car driven by Henry Cutright at Tenth and Frederick Avenue Wednesday and severely hurt.

Frank D. Thompson of Lincoln, who holds the position of secretary to the Missouri River Farmers Association, was the speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday and according to the press reports he told a great deal about the Missouri Valley that he knew and a considerable that he does not seem to know.

Ernest Cargill and E. R. Geller paid \$5 each in police court Tuesday for "cutting corners" with their machines.

Judge O. M. Spencer and family are at home this week in the Spencer home at 21st and Faxon, and the ad-

vent of the judge makes the old home look itself again.

Congressman Faust, who spent several days here this week, left Wednesday for his post of duty in Washington.

When a Ford truck stalled on the Burlington tracks at Fourth and Lafayette Monday, despite the flagging of the watchman, the truck was demolished by a freight train and its occupants, Jack McCracken and Minnie Price, had a narrow escape from death.

James Brown of many aliases was given two years in the pen in Judge Uta's division Tuesday, for highway robbery.

Over \$500 in fees was turned into the county treasury by the justices of the peace in this township in the month of May.

Steve Kaako, charged with having a still in his possession, gave bond in the sum of \$1,000 before Commissioner Duncan Tuesday.

Truman Vance, a 76-year-old veteran of the Marshalltown, Ia., Soldiers' Home, was arrested Monday for being drunk. A negro woman had robbed him of \$70.

All of the special funds which were depleted when the former comptroller "transferred" them are now again intact, the differences being again restored.

After an interruption of two weeks on account of rain, work has again been resumed on the various road projects.

George M. Hadley, 55, died at a local hospital Monday, after a brief illness. Beside his wife he is survived by two daughters and a son. The funeral occurred Wednesday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Judge John Brendel, 1906 South 11th street. Interment was in Ashland.

Robert I. Young, democratic candidate for senator, spoke to an immense audience at a farmers' picnic at La Plata last week.

The contract for the construction of the annex to the Adath Joseph temple will be let at once and construction begun. The new annex and equipment will cost about \$40,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, 72, widow of Michael Brown, died Wednesday.

Mrs. Philippina Fuchs, 83, widow of the late Conrad Fuchs, died Thursday.

A blaze that smoldered in the Swift plant through Thursday night did \$10,000 in smoke damages.

A gun toting case against Louis Young, a negro, was dismissed in police court Thursday.

Thieves broke into L. F. Felling's grocery, 1702 Pacific, Thursday night and stole \$11 and some goods.

For failing to report when his car hit that of Gus Smith March 15, Clyde Griffith was fined \$25 and costs in criminal court Thursday.

County Clerk Artemas Ferrell has received notice that the old style strip ballot will be used at the primary election.

It cost Carl Johnson \$2 for driving over a sidewalk, and John Kullman a like amount for blocking the sidewalk, when police court acted Thursday.

The annual observance of Flag Day, June 14, will be held at Smith Park this year, with Merrill E. Ots, assistant attorney general of the state, as the chief speaker.

Brother—Pleasant Florida root easily, inexpensively overcomes any tobacco habit. Fine for stomach. Just send address. H. O. Stokes, Mohawk, Florida.—(Advertisement.)

One half of the quota for the Methodist Hospital fund has been secured. The work is going steadily ahead.

Nineteen people from this city have registered for the citizens military training camp to be held at Jefferson Barracks Aug. 1 to 30.

B. M. Casteel was elected commander of Jack Schneider Post V. of E. W. at the election held Thursday night to fill the vacancy caused by the Bolar resignation.

The casualty list among the home brewers is heavy. Sometimes the operator gets arrested, sometimes the hootch mill blows up and sometimes his customers burn up.—Nodaway Democrat-Forum.

A RECORD BREAKING VOTE IN THE PRIMARY

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working overtime to keep them in line, employing intimidation and coercion, and giving out untrue statements about their electoral rights to hold them to their former party.

It is estimated by those who know that Senator Reed will receive 200,000 such new democratic votes primary day. Many of such electors were Progressives a few years ago. It was then unanimously held by the Missouri supreme court that the Progressive ticket, state and national, was legal and had to go on the state ballot, and that every vote cast for its candidates had to be counted under the state constitution. The result was that the Progressive party then became the second in the state, the "gop" taking third place. Since, the "Bull Moose" bunch has gone out of existence, leaving thousands of former members in an attitude awaiting the opportunity to affiliate with the "only reliable party." The moment now has come, hordes of real progressive republicans have cut loose from the "gop" element, waded the Rubicon, and are now as much democratic politically and otherwise as the thousands who were "born that way." With their volunteer votes and poll-work next November after they have helped to name the ticket primary day, democracy will have a record-breaking victory next November, even far exceeding the one of 1912 when Missouri went "hell-bent" democratic by 130,000.

Wilson Bolted Bryan, 1896

It remained for C. A. Norwood, an influential, widely known Democrat of Springfield, the "Queen City of the Ozarks," to remember and give publicity a few days ago to the fact that Woodrow Wilson has not always run true to the Democratic ticket, having come out in bold, open opposition to William Jennings Bryan in 1896 when that celebrity was the presidential nominee for the first time and the idol of the party, then writing that famous letter in which the assertion was made "that something ought to be done to knock Mr. Bryan into a cocked hat."

The political contribution of Mr. Morland, addressed to the Springfield Leader, the leading Democratic paper of South Missouri, and published, Saturday evening, May 20, 1922, names other nationally prominent Democrats with whom Woodrow Wilson quarreled while president and since his retirement all formerly officially associated with him and therefore once very closely affiliated. Here is the article:

"Senator Reed"—By C. A. Norwood
"To The Leader: The fight being made against the nomination of Senator Reed is characterized by prejudice and by feelings of revenge."

"Senator Reed's democracy cannot be questioned, although the Long forces are trying to make it appear that because he saw fit to oppose Mr. Wilson in some things he must be read out of the Democratic party."

"Senator Reed has always supported the Democratic ticket and fought for its election in every campaign in Missouri for more than thirty years—a record which Mr. Wilson cannot match, since in 1896, he opposed William J. Bryan for president and wrote the famous letter in which he said that something ought to be done to knock Mr. Bryan into a cocked hat."

He Who Sows the Winds

"It has never been the rule in Missouri that the democracy of our senators must be tested by subservience to a Democratic president. While Grover Cleveland was president, Senators Cockrell and Vest fought Mr. Cleveland with all their matchless power on the question of the resumption of specie payment. They were not only read out of the party for taking issue with the president, but both were re-elected to the senate."

"It is a well-known fact that anyone who did not support every measure and wish of Mr. Wilson has been made to suffer the weight of his displeasure. In Mr. Bryan's paper, 'The Commoner,' of July, 1920, reporting the national Democratic convention at San Francisco, Mr. Bryan, under the caption, 'A President Who Sows the Winds,' said:

"We were told that a plank in the Democratic platform against universal compulsory military training would be regarded as a rebuke to the president because his secretary of war favored universal military training. We could rebuke the 196 Democratic members who defeated the compulsory system in the house, and we could rebuke the Democratic senators who defeated it in the senate, but we must say nothing that would indicate the slightest divergence from the president's judgment on any question."

"Mr. Reed was one of the many Democratic senators who opposed this measure. Shall we test his vote and his democracy by the fact that he opposed the president's wishes, or by the fact that he was against turning the youth of America into a vast military machine?"

A. T. EDMONSTON.



Special Silk Offerings

For Tomorrow—Saturday!

Washable—Radium Pongee—Orange, pink and blue; fancy colors; 36 inches; special, yard. \$1.39

Special Assortment of Silks, including:
Creme de Chine, \$2.25 quality.....
Indestructible Voile, \$2.25 quality....
Indestructible Georgette, \$2.25 quality...
Black and White Satin Skirting, \$2.25 quality.....
Beddings Fancy Lining Satin, \$3 quality...
Silk and Wool Poplin, \$2.25 quality....
Corticeil Guaranteed Taffeta, \$2.50 quality.....
Pure Dye Clifton Taffeta, \$2.75 quality

\$1.95

Extra Special—Genuine Imported All Silk Duocyn—Nothing better made; excellent for capes, hats, bands and trimmings; regular \$5.50 quality. Extra special, yard. \$4.98



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100 four-page letter sheets and 100 wallet flap envelopes to match, printed with your name and address on genuine Hammermill Bond. Every home should have a box of this attractive printed stationery. "Rytex" has sold heretofore for a much higher price, but through increased production The Leader is now able to offer it for this low price. In addition to plain white paper you can have choice of any of these dainty colors: Azure, daybreak, moonbeam and peachblow. The envelopes are in the new wallet flap style. The lettering is in Gothic similar to that used in steel die work, and the ink is the fashionable RYTEX Blue. Most boxed stationery contains only 24 sheets and 24 envelopes; with RYTEX you secure 100 sheets and 100 envelopes printed with your name and address for only \$1.00.

—Stationery Section—First Floor.



June, the Month of Brides, Laces and Roses

The Leader Cannot Promise to Supply the Brides, Nor the Roses, But Has An Unlimited Display of Laces

This presentation of new laces is second to none in the Central West—for laces of every character and caste—for every purpose are included. It will be a treat for you just to visit the Lace Section and see this unusual June display, which is backed by service from competent and accommodating salesfolk—who are thoroughly conversant with the numerous ways laces are used and the proper combinations for producing beautiful and pleasing effects.

From the Tiny Edges to the widest Flouncings there is an exclusiveness of patterns. A superiority of quality and variety of assortment not to be duplicated in this city.

See the wonderful specials of popular priced Laces for One Week of Lace Selling, commencing Monday, June 12th. The present window display is suggestive and interesting.

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The Leader Department Store

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Men's Best Oak Half Soles..... \$1.09
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Sewed or Nailed.
Rubber Heels, Wingfoot or Columbia..... 50c
ALL WORK GUARANTEED

MISSOURI STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Notice to Contractors

Project No. 18-3

Sealed proposals addressed to the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City, Missouri, and endorsed, "Proposal for the construction and erection of signs on the State Road from St. Joseph to Hannibal, Mo." will be received by the State Highway Commission until 3 o'clock p. m. on the 12th day of June, 1922, and at that time will be publicly opened and read at the offices of the Highway Commission in the State Capitol.

The proposed work includes constructing and erecting standard section route and direction signs, together with any incidental work on the State Road from St. Joseph, Missouri, to Hannibal, Missouri, a distance of approximately 210 miles.

Plans and specifications will be on file on or after May 29th and may be inspected in the offices of the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City, Missouri.

A set of plans and specifications may be obtained from the State Highway Commission upon deposit of ten dollars (\$10.00), which amount will be refunded if both plans and specifications are returned in good condition within ten days after date of the letting.

Proposals shall be submitted upon blank forms provided for the purpose by the Chief Engineer and shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check for five per cent (5%) of the amount of the bid on some Missouri State or Federal Bank, made payable without recourse to the order of the Treasurer of the State of Missouri as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract with the requirements of the specifications. A proposal bond cannot be accepted in lieu of a certified check, and a bid when accompanied by a proposal bond will be automatically rejected. Payments will be made on monthly estimates, but should not be expected

prior to the last of the month for the estimate of the preceding month.

The right is reserved by the State Highway Commission to reject any or all bids.

C. W. BROWN, Acting Chief Engineer, Jefferson City, Missouri.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of Comptroller of the Currency

Washington, May 18, 1922.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Toledo-Lacy National Bank of St. Joseph," in the City of St. Joseph, in the County of Buchanan, and State of Missouri, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882.

Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Toledo-Lacy National Bank of St. Joseph," in the City of St. Joseph, in the County of Buchanan, and State of Missouri, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely until close of business on May 14, 1942.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and Seal of office this sixteenth day of May, 1922.

T. P. KANE, Acting Comptroller of the Currency, Charter No. 6272, Extension No. 4247, (529)

While standing on the corner of Fifth and Jackson at 1:30 Monday morning, C. L. Banta of Newton, Tex., was approached by Lottie Snod, a negro woman, who when she left him had \$350 of his money. The woman was arrested, but the money had disappeared.